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Hon. Ron Jones, Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
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Re: *Enforcement of Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth  
Telecommunications, Inc. and ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc.*

*Enforcement of Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth  
Telecommunications, Inc. and XO Tennessee, Inc.*

Docket No. 02-01203

Dear Chairman Jones:

Recently, the parties notified the Authority that BellSouth and XO have reached a settlement in principal resolving the issues in this docket. The parties are continuing to finalize the settlement. Given these developments, the parties respectfully request that BellSouth's filing due today and XO and DeltaCom's responses thereto be held in abeyance for an additional week.

Mr. Henry Walker, local counsel for XO and DeltaCom, has authorized me to say that he concurs in this request. A copy of this letter is being provided to counsel of record.

Very truly yours,

Guy M. Hicks

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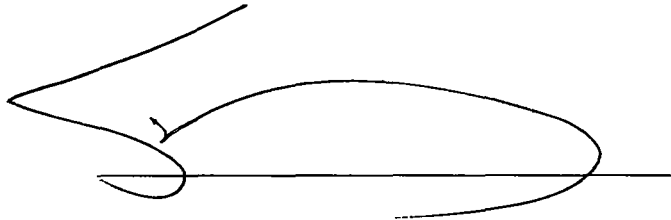
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